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FESTIVAL STARTS STAGE SET FOR JUBILEE

With Two Hundred Entries Already In Festival Promises To Be Outstanding Success

According to H. L. Vaughan, secretary of the Grande Prairie Musical Festival, two hundred entries have been received, which assures the success of this long-looked-for event, which will be held in Grande Prairie on May 7, 8, and 9.

The following are the officers: President, A. E. Galloway, Vice-president, J. W. Pichard, Secretary, H. L. Vaughan, Treasurer, H. L. Vaughan, Publicity, C. Young, Librarian, Fred Leckey, Musician and Dramatics, Rev. H. J. Pierce, Finance and Awards, C. Spencer.

The following will be the adjudicators: Music, Vocal and Instrumental—Herbert Wilde of Edmonton; Eloquence and Dramatics—Ted

B' Lodge River On Rampage; Hythe Again Terminus

(By The Tribune's Correspondent)

HYTHE, May 26.—Hythe was again the end of the railway for twenty-four hours owing to a washout on the line a short distance from town. On Wednesday the station agent and section foreman were picking up every available man in town for an extra gang to repair the railway track and about fifteen men went to work Thursday morning. When the passenger arrived today it was possible to proceed on to Dawson Creek.

Owing to the winter holding steady until recently, the Beaver Lodge River went on a rampage when the flood started. It was estimated that the bank about one-quarter of a mile, well up to the town limits, and farmers living adjacent found their buildings completely surrounded.

It is estimated that Bill Swanton had to use rowboats to reach town. Sunderman is reported to have lost all his home, food and seed grain in the flood. Two government steel bridges were submerged, one becoming impassable, while the other had two feet of water over it, through which farmers drove to town.

Considerable damage has been done to highways leading to town by spouter, crests which drain into the Beaver Lodge. The railway dam stood the flood and ice best, however.

It is impossible to estimate the damage as yet, but it is thought considerable repair work will be necessary. Outliners claim it is the highest they ever saw and the spring of 1928.

Any damage done will give much-needed employment to those out of work.

G. P. Tennis Club Ready For The Season's Play

Commencing the season with a well-attended and enthusiastic annual meeting in the Town Hall on Thursday evening of last week, the Grande Prairie Tennis Club is away to a good start. Officers and members are looking forward to the club's best year during 1935.

Mervin Lewis, retiring president, was in the chair.

The financial statement, read at the meeting, shows the club to be in good shape and it was decided to buy new nets and other equipment and to put the courts in first-class condition.

Officers for the year were elected, as follows:

Hon. President—Dr. L. J. O'Brien.

President—Wm. Smith.

Secretary—Treasurer—Geo. Heath.

Grounds Committee—Mervin Lewis, Bill Porteous, Dennis Law, Winston Galt, Cecil Lewis.

Entertainment Committee—Mrs. Fawcett, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Lois Cooke, Miss Don Gault.

The courts are located one block south of the railway track and one block east of the Boulevard.

It was decided at the meeting to place the membership at five dollars for both ladies and gentlemen.

The courts are expected to be ready for play the second week in May.

G. P. Badminton Club Closes Most Successful Season

The Grande Prairie Badminton Club recently closed the season, which was very successful, with a big win.

Tournaments throughout the season were well-contested and brought out some splendid exhibitions, as was evidenced by the Cobb-Dreany and Purdy-Sutton battle, in which the latter won.

The Rivers-Badminton Challenge Cup for mixed pairs, which was held at the town of Grande Prairie, was won by the Cobb-Dreany and Purdy-Sutton team.

In the ladies' club games during the season Mrs. Lovell and Miss Owen Galt took the honors by winning the Galt-Planting Trophy.

Cohen, who replaces Dr. Dickie of Camrose.

All classes will be well represented and those in charge have worked hard to make this third annual Grande Prairie District Musical Festival the most outstanding of any ever held.

The festival will commence at 2 p.m. Tuesday and will conclude on Thursday night with a grand concert given by the winners. This will be followed by a dance.

The time-table is as follows:

TUESDAY, MAY 7

2 p.m., Capitol Theatre—Piano Solo, Class 7, a, b, c, d. Violin Solo, Class 9, a, b, c, d, e.

8 p.m., United Church—Small Church Choir, Class 12, b. Vocal Solo, Class 9, a, b, c, d, e.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8

10 a.m., Capitol Theatre—Vocal Solo, Class 2, a (Boys); Class 2, b (Girls).

10 a.m., Speke Hall—Eloquence, Class 8, a.

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2 p.m., Capitol Theatre—Public School Choir, Class 12, a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z.

8 p.m., Elks Hall—One Act Play, Class 10, a, b, c, d, e, f, g, h, i, j, k, l, m, n, o, p, q, r, s, t, u, v, w, x, y, z.

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Town Fathers Budget for the Coming Year

Mill Rate to Be Struck at Next Meeting—Estimates Slightly Higher Than Those of Last Year—All Items Carefully Scrutinized

Preparatory to striking the mill rate the town fathers on Monday evening considered the estimates for the year, which were finally passed. The estimates of the various departments are as follows:

Finance \$3,905.00

Works 3,800.00

Health and Relief 1,918.75

Town Hall and Reception 2,327.45

Fire and Light 3,405.70

Parks and Lands 255.50

Total \$15,742.60

The estimates taken as a whole are slightly higher than last year's.

The relief department possibly shows the greatest increase. This is due to the gradually increasing demand upon this department, due principally to medical attention for indigents.

The estimate in this department is \$600 over what it was last year.

The request for the high and public schools is higher by \$1,000 over what it was last year.

Mr. J. M. Smart, secretary of the school board, who was present, explained that the board had to meet insurance which would cost every three years and which must be met this year.

The separate school request calls for \$250 increase.

The fire and light estimate is down over \$600. This is due to the note having been paid up in the bank on the balance on the fire pipe line debt.

All items were carefully scrutinized and the mill rate will be struck at the next meeting of council.

Accounts to the amount of \$557.50 were passed for payment.

Redistribution of the council by letter that he was resigning as poundkeeper.

Comptroller Hargrave, who was congratulated by His Worship the Mayor for his successful escape from drowning in the lake, was instructed to act as poundkeeper and report at the next meeting.

The following Scouts returned on Tuesday from the big jamboree held at the University of Toronto.

Scout Master; Jack Edwards, Scoutmaster; J. H. Bulchard, Junius Ains, and Cliff V. 223.

"A wonderful trip and experience," said the Scouts, who had a very interesting and instructive trip.

The Scout Master Gerald Card, in conversation with The Tribune reporter, had the following to say with regard to the big rally.

"We all had a splendid time. It was a wonderful gathering of 2,500 Scouts from all over central and northern Alberta."

The Scout rally conference, held at the University of Toronto, was a very interesting and instructive trip.

His Lordship delivered a short address, stressing the necessity of building up character, which is the chief aim of the Scout movement.

The whole day was full of interest and pleasure and we shall never forget the experience."

The Scout Master had some new things to say about R. P. Fitzpatrick, who took a keen interest in Scout affairs while living in Grande Prairie.

"Mr. Fitzpatrick," he said, "went out of his life in a very good way, and we shall never forget the experience."

ASPIN RIDGE RESIDENTS ORGANIZE TO BUILD THEIR OWN TELEPHONE LINE

Residents of Aspen Ridge are forming a company with a view to building their own telephone line, which will link up with Huskon.

The final meeting will be held during the coming week.

NOTICE TO ALL RETURNED MEN

Jubilee Service will be held in both the Anglican and United Churches on Sunday morning, May 5.

On Monday, May 6, all returned men meet at St. Paul's United Church corner.

After the service will be a social and refreshments, and also a game of pool will be held at 10:30 a.m. Kindly wear medals.

The L. O. D. E. will cater at the grounds and will supply supper in the hall for the dance, which commences at 10 p.m. The final four



FIXING ST. PAUL'S
Residing cross on St. Paul's Cathedral for the King's Jubilee

Carload of New Chrysler Products Arrive at G. P.

A carload of new cars, Chrysler products, arrived in Grande Prairie this week and these smart 1935 models are now being exhibited in the show room of Crumley's Garage.

In the shipment were three Plymouths, two Dodges and a four-door touring sedan.

The Dodge is a four-door touring sedan.

One of the notable features this year in both Plymouth and Dodge cars is the redistribution of weight. This was a feature started by Chrysler in 1934 and featured in the Airflow of last year, and found so satisfactory that it has been carried into the lower priced cars this year.

Mr. Sperry, who has charge of the parade, wishes everyone to be in place so that the parade can move off at 10:30 sharp.

At 2:30 there will be a free picture show at the Capitol Theatre.

All children of school age, no adults will be admitted except the teachers.

The feature picture will be "The Heart of a Hero," starring Janet Gaynor and Charles Farrell.

The day will conclude with a dance in the Elks Hall in aid of The King George V Silver Jubilee Cancer Fund for Canada.

This dance will be in charge of the Nelson and C. Stradins and will commence at 9 o'clock.

Jack Peterson's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion.

One of the local musicians will make a short talk in aid of the fund.

Have Thrilling Experience in Bear Creek

Three boys—David Smith, Cliff and Jerry Stokan—had a thrilling experience on Sunday.

The boys were walking along the bank of Bear Creek some miles north of Grande Prairie when they came across a racoon.

They immediately got some sticks together and started a fire near where they hung their clothes. While the sticks were drying the boys saw the racoon and brought him back, which had straggled on the opposite side of the stream.

When their clothes were dry the boys again embarked upon the boat and made the balance of the trip home without further mishap.

It is understood that the boys are none the worse for their experience.

NOTICE

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Richmond Hill Golf Club Limited will be held in the Town Hall Grande Prairie on the evening of Tuesday, May 7, at 8 p.m.

J. HEDMOND, Secretary

HYTHE, April 30.—The Athletic Association has practically all details arranged for the sports program to be held here on Monday next, May 6, in connection with the King's Silver Jubilee.

The program will start at 2:30 p.m. with a football game between Beaver Lodge and Hythe. This will be followed by track events for children under eight years, twelve and sixteen, and other games will round out the program.

Substantial prizes will be offered. Further particulars will be given later.

HYTHE ATHLETIC ASS'N TO HOLD BIG SPORTS DAY, JULY 19

HYTHE, April 30.—The Athletic Association, which now has over one hundred members, will sponsor a big sports day to be held on July 19.

A stampede will be the principal attraction, where teams of boys and other games will round out the program.

Substantial prizes will be offered. Further particulars will be given later.

TOWN PURCHASES TREES TO BE PLANTED IN PARK

On Tuesday the trees purchased from the Lacombe Nurseries, through Isaac Thompson, 190 trees, which will be planted in the town park on the north side.

The trees are equally divided between green ash and Russian poplar.

Street Parade To Commence 10.30 a.m. Will Set Celebration Away To a Promising Start

Monday, May 6, promises to be a gala day at Grande Prairie, the scene of the celebration of the King's Silver Jubilee.

Country and town will meet on that day to finally express loyalty to King and Empire, and residents of Grande Prairie are asked to cooperate in the display of flags and bunting.

The celebration will commence with the street parade, which will start at 10:30 a.m. at St. Paul's United Church corner and march over the principal streets of the town to the Montrose Public School grounds, where patriotic exercises will be held, during which short addresses will be delivered and songs sung by the school pupils.

AT SCHOOL GROUNDS

Special remarks of chairman, Mr. T. W. Lawlor.

"O Canada" chorus by schools.

Patriotic speeches by D. W. Patterson, chairman Grande Prairie School Board, and E. M. Lanetot, chairman separate school.

"Maple Leaf" chorus by schools.

Patriotic speeches by H. W. Ross, pupil of Montrose School, and Rebecca Hean, pupil of St. Joseph's School.

"God Save the King."

Following the exercises all Grande Prairie school children will be presented with souvenir medals by the Mayor.

The following prizes are offered:

Best Float (open) over \$5, and \$10.

Best Decorated Bicycles—\$2 and \$1.

Best Individual Costume—\$3, \$2, and \$1.

Best Float, Rural Schools—\$5.

There will be a committee of three judges: Miss Pearson, O.B.E., A. E. Galloway, and E. V. Bergin, the latter of Chalmers.

It is desired that as many as possible enter for the best individual costume. Such costumes should represent some historical period.

The parade will be led by a detachment of the C. C. M. P. and the Canadian Legion.

Mr. Sperry, who has charge of the parade, wishes everyone to be in place so that the parade can move off at 10:30 sharp.

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ILLUSTRATED NEWS OF THE WEEK - A SPECIAL TRIBUNE FEATURE

THE BEST OF THE WEEK'S INTERESTING NEWS PICTURES



AIR RAID DEMONSTRATION IN KENT BY V.A.D.'S

Recently members of the V.A.D. branch of the British Red Cross had to put on an air raid demonstration and the effect was very realistic. The caves at Chislehurst were fitted up as gas-proof shelters with two special air-lock entrances and the nurses had to work under very strenuous conditions. On the left some of the nurses are equipping themselves for the First Aid Station, while at the right they are looking for injured victims in the midst of a gas attack.



NEW GOLD COIN

Here are front and back views of the new 100-franc gold coin, which, it is said, will soon be issued in replacement of the present banknotes. The mint has not yet begun stamping these new coins, the model of which was made in 1929.



TRICENTENARY ANNIVERSARY DISPLAY OF HORSE DRAGOONS IN PARIS

The President of the French Republic was present recently during a display of horse dragoons and the mechanized section during the tricentenary anniversary celebrations in Paris. This picture shows the march past the official grand station at the Grand Palais. Note all the different types of uniform.

A Few Items of World Interest

WASHINGTON, April 25.—Responding to leaping world silver prices, President Roosevelt on Wednesday offered for newly mined domestic silver to 77.57 cents an ounce. Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau said today the United States would continue to buy silver until it reaches \$1.29 an ounce or until Treasury stocks equalled one-third of the total gold.

LONDON, April 24.—Hot criticisms of alleged non-observance of Ottawa trade pacts await Premier Bennett and other dominion ministers when, after the Jubilee celebrations, they meet members of the United Kingdom cabinet and manufacturers and exporters.

TEHRAN, Iran (Persia), April 24.—A series of earth shocks rocking northern Iran since April 12 still continued today, after killing an unknown number of persons and doing huge damage. Thousands of persons are dead and thousands injured.

With the Boy Scouts



The 1934 Scout census for Nova Scotia showed 65 Wolf Cub Packs, 110 Scout Troops, and 12 Rover Crews, with a total membership of 4,120.

A Distinction for Thursday Island
During their present world tour Lord and Lady Baden-Powell found the greatest number of Scouts and Guides to population in an unexpected place—small Thursday Island, off Queensland. From some 700 inhabitants—400 whites and 300 Malays and Japanese—290 Scouts and Guides greeted the World Chief Scout and Chief Guide.

A Redskin-Paleface Battle, 1935
Here's a modern battle, Redskins vs. Palefaces, Boy Scout style. And it was the Palefaces "bit the dust"—on the ice. It was a hockey game between Blackfoot Indian boys of the Old Sun School Scout Troop, Gleichen, Alberta, and the 1st Rockyford Scout team. And the Indian lads won 5-4. Some of their stars were Wolf, Lee, Yellow Fly, Fox and Waterchief.

Says Scouting Saves Windsor \$10,000 Annually

That the city of Windsor is saved some \$10,000 per year by the Boy Scout Movement was a recent declaration of Magistrate Brody, because of Scouting's effectiveness in preventing a certain number of boys annually being added to the roll of police court cases.

Training for Public Service
Ontario Boy Scouts last year earned 2,100 badges qualifying for public service work. They were: Ambulance Man, 423; Fireman, 902; First Aid, 241; Friend to Animals, 108; Missioner (home nursing), 300; Pathfinder (knowledge of 25-mile area, for direct strangers), 234; Public Health Man, 113; Rescuer (from drowning), 148; Public Safety Man, 230.

Canadian Scouts Invited to Poland
An official invitation to Canadian Scouts to attend the 25th Birthday Anniversary Jamboree of the Boy Scouts of Poland has been received by His Excellency the Earl of Beaconsfield, Chief Scout for Canada. The invitation is signed by Dr. Michal Gzysinski, president of the Polish Boy Scouts Association. The Jamboree will be held in the forest of Pielka, on the estate of the President of the Republic, July 11 to 24, and an attendance of 20,000 is expected.

The Boy Scout's Vocational Guidance
In 1934 Ontario Boy Scouts qualified in 1,401 badge tests aimed to help them discover life work. The list included Airman (mechanical), Basket Worker, Box Keeper, Blacksmith, Boat Builder, Bookbinder, Camp Cook, Carpenter, Clerk, Dairyman, Electrician, Engineer, Entertainer, Farmer, Forester, Gardener, Handyman, Journalist, Leather Worker, Mason, Metal Worker, Miner, Musician, Painter, Plumber, Printer, Prospector, Radio, Riggar, Stockman, Surveyor, Tailor.

BIG LEAGUE STARS OF 1935



The Phillies have been battling to become a first division team and this season they have some tried stars to help them do the job. Verger, upper left, and Ryan, lower right, came from the Giants. Wilson, upper right, and Davis, lower left, are holdovers from last season.

LONDON, April 24.—The suggestion that the Ottawa tariff preference of two shillings a quarter accorded by the United Kingdom to Canadian wheat should be forfeited because Canada has not fulfilled the terms of the agreement, is a feature of the annual report of the Liverpool Corn Trade Association, published today. The report claims Canada has not complied with Article 4 of the Ottawa agreement, which provides the preference may be removed if at any time the Empire producers were unable or unwilling to offer wheat at prices not exceeding world prices.

THE NOISE OF BOOTS—BOOTS—BOOTS—
—La Mire, Paris.

SHOPPERS BRAVE STIFLING DUST

Here is a striking photograph of two shoppers fighting their way through swirling dust clouds on the streets of Alva, Okla., at 2 p.m. The lower photo shows three girls wearing dust masks as they walked through the business section of Tulsa City, Okla., at 10 o'clock in the morning. The thick clouds of yellow dust paralyzed traffic in four states.



BARRYMORE ROMANCE ON THE ROCKS

One of the famous romances of Hollywood faded when the beautiful Dolores Costello and her husband, John Barrymore, came to the parting of the ways. She is reported planning to return to pictures.



PROMINENT TENNIS AND MOVIE STARS BREAK ENGAGEMENT

A report from London states that the engagement between Mary Lawton, famous British actress, and Fred Perry, Britain's number one ranking tennis star and rated the best amateur, has been broken by mutual consent. Perry continues to deny rumors that he will turn professional, and it is fully expected he will return to England shortly to compete in the Davis Cup and Wimbledon series.



THE CHANCELLOR PREPARES HIS BUDGET

Here is shown Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Britain's Chancellor of the Exchequer, preparing the 1935 budget, which was so well received in the British House of Commons. A comfortable surplus was announced and taxation was cut to a very great extent.



"So you've got rid of that pretty maid of yours?"
Yes, I found that she approved of my tastes in diamonds, jewels, face powder and husbands!
—L. A. P. (Paris)

Wapiti Busts Up With Thrilling Pageantry

(By The Tribune's Correspondent)
PIPISTON CREEK, April 25.—
The climax for several anxious days for river flat dwellers was reached today at 12:11 p.m. when the river came arsing, sweeping to destruction buildings and inhabitants on the ferry flat.

Spectators at the ferry house were anxious themselves watching huge cakes of ice being tossed into the air by the swollen river when a mountain of ice was observed coming down stream. All hands immediately made for higher ground across the muddy garden. An amusing diversion occurred when one man got stuck in the mud and had to be rescued by Dan St. Arnaud.

The oncoming mountain of ice fortunately broke up at the mouth of Pipestone Creek, leaving big chunks on the bank 40 feet above river level, thus saving the ferry house and Osborne's from complete inundation.

During the action, cameras were much in evidence. Mrs. Osborne may have secured an exceptional photo of the break-up, but it was not sure which she held the camera.

Near Escape from Being Guilted.
Mrs. Gibbons, standing under the cable tower to secure a photograph, failed to notice that it was tottering. She was in the tower when it fell, immediately after she moved away the cable fell with a crash. Had Mrs. Gibbons remained a few seconds longer she would have been guillotined.

Cable Towers Crash and Ferry Damaged.
Falling of the cable was followed by the collapse of the tower. The only one of the far side spinning round three times before staggering over.

"H.M.S. Piper," L.S., the ferry, sustained considerable damage and was pushed across the road and up the bank by ice and water.

The burst up has left a wall of ice 15 feet high on the bank facing the ferry, which stretches from the water's edge for 100 yards.

It Is an Ill Wind, Etc.
It is thought that employment will be provided for several men for some time repairing the damage done to the ferry on opposite.

The position is reversed in Mr. Osborne's case, who, foregoing events, had a load of axed waiting and is now covering up the ice which has placed itself on the bank.

Former Resident of G.P. Proud of Boys From the North

The Tribune is in receipt of a letter from R. P. Fitzgerald, formerly of Grande Prairie, Alta., in Edmonton, in which he gives a vivid description of the rally of the Boy Scouts, held in the arena, in the Capital City, who has taken a deep interest in the Boy Scout movement, writes in part as follows:

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ATTENDED CONVENTION OF CANADIAN UTILITIES HELD AT CITY OF CALGARY

A. M. Gudmundson, in charge of the Grande Prairie unit of the Canadian Utilities, on Tuesday got back from Calgary, where he attended the convention of managers of the company, a various parties.

Subjects of interest to the company's officials were the main features discussed at the convention, following which the part men were entertained at a banquet.

Mr. Gudmundson said that Roy Nurse, in charge of the Yorkton plant, was among those present.

Roy, who was formerly manager of the Grande Prairie plant, is still interested in Grande Prairie and the Peace River and acted many questions about people and conditions, Mr. Gudmundson said.

**CHRIST CHURCH SHOWS
APPRECIATION OF SEROT.
PURDY'S WORK WITH GIFTS**

On Monday evening a meeting of Christ Church vestry was held in the rectory. With the greatest of reluctance the vestry was obliged to accept the resignation of Sergeant Purdy, much necessary to his transfer to Peace River. During his stay here, Sergeant Purdy was popular with many of the church members, and he will be greatly missed from Christ Church.

On behalf of the vestry he was presented with a mid-den and a number of autographed golf balls by Mr. L. Edwards, in appreciation of his service to the Sunday school a presentation was made to the sergeant by the staff of the Sunday school.

To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Sergeant Purdy, Mr. Edwards has been appointed people's warden. Mr. W. Byron, people's secretary, and Mr. Douglas, have been appointed as members of Christ Church vestry.

**TOWERS OF FERRY SOUTH
OF WEMBLEY SWEEP AWAY
WHEN WAPITI ICE BREAKS**

WEMBLEY, May 2.—The towers of the Wapiti ferry, which were swept away when the ice broke, are being replaced by new ones.

A bridge gang are busy engaged in erecting new towers and replacing the old ones.

Considerable difficulty is being encountered on the south side of the river, owing to the fact that there is some six or seven feet of ice piled up in front of the towers.

**SANDY STEVENSON, GOLF PRO.
ARRIVED ON TUESDAY'S TRAIN**

Sandy Stevenson, who has been golf pro at the Richmond Hill Golf and Country Club for the past two years, arrived on Tuesday's train.

He has commenced his work on the course for the coming season.

"Sandy," wearing a red tartan tie, looked in the pink, and observed that he was glad to be back once again to enjoy the wide open spaces.

While in Edmonton, where he spent his winter, he attended many sessions of the legislature. He also heard Tim Buck and Aberhart.

While Sandy is still enthusiastic as ever about golf, he found time to talk a little about politics—not, of course, from a party standpoint.

It is expected that the golf season on the Richmond Hill course will open in earnest the middle of May.

**HOME OF AL THOMPSON
IS DAMAGED BY FIRE**

A corner of Al Thompson's home, on the north side of town, was considerably damaged by fire which broke out in a shed adjoining the building in the rear.

The fire department was on the job in good time and saved the house.

It is thought that the fire was started by mice biting the heads of matches.

BORN AT MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL

To Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fowler of Grande Prairie, on April 30, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. H. H. of Beaver Lodge, May 1, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Hantenstrich of Hinton, May 1, a son.

To Mr. and Mrs. Marley Sherk, of Hinton, May 1, a girl.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Gordon, of Pouce Coupe, April 26, a boy.

**W. A. TEA AND SALE OF
HOME COOKING**

The W. A. of Christ Church, Anglican, Grande Prairie, will hold a tea and sale of home cooking on Saturday, May 18.

VANCOUVER, B.C., April 29.—The meeting of the four western provinces is inevitable unless the Dominion government makes some adequate means of financing proposed.

Mr. McNeil said Saturday, commenting on the statement of Acting Prime Minister Sir George Perley that it would be impossible for the government to ensure all Canadian jobs.

Mr. McNeil said that the federal government's program, the major declared that the federal government cannot finance a works program, the only alternative is for the four western provinces to settle up with the federal government.

WINNIPEG WHEAT
WINNIPEG, May 2.—Wheat prices ranged in a better market on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today, chiefly in sympathy with weakness at Liverpool. Values closed 1/2 to 1/4 cent higher.

Chicago closed 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower. Liverpool closed 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower. Winnipeg closed 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower.

EDMONTON LIVE STOCK
EDMONTON, May 2.—Cattle trading was inclined to be slow and heavy, but there was little change in prices.

ANNIVERSARY DANCE OF EASTERN STAR

The members of the Aurora Chapter No. 46 of the Order of the Eastern Star, made up the anniversary dance in the Elks Hall, Grande Prairie, on Friday night, May 1, commencing at 8 p.m.

Members of the Chapter and of the Masonic Lodge who have not received an invitation are hereby invited.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

MONTREAL, May 2.—Loading and unloading of ocean-going freight is at a complete standstill in the port of Montreal, following a strike this afternoon of two thousand longshoremen.

The Montreal Association of Longshoremen is in dispute with ship owners and ship agents over the right to load and unload cargo.

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VANCOUVER, B.C., April 30.

"Continued inaction on the part of your government is demoralizing the people," said Sunday in a speech made by the Minister.

Mr. George Perley outlining the relief work in the city, estimated that there are now more than eight thousand unemployed men in Vancouver," the telegram reads.

SPRINGFIELD, Colo., April 30.—A cold rain fell on high wind and snow, a wide section of the United States plains country today, ending additional damage to crops and causing new damage. Automobile traffic was paralyzed.

REGINA, Sask., April 30.—High southwest winds whipped the dust high in the air here "up and visibility beyond a block was like a fog."

EDMONTON, May 1.—While a snowstorm delayed, 250-odd men's unemployed relief strike continued today and police prepared for a hotly May Day law battle.

STONY MOUNTAIN, Man., April 29.—A snowstorm delayed, 250-odd men's unemployed relief strike continued today and police prepared for a hotly May Day law battle.

order and dissatisfaction with meals and tobacco, riot broke loose in Stony Mountain penitentiary Sunday, lasted two hours, brought death and damage, and sent many men into a prison to uncover criminals.

George B. Forsythe, 28, convicted, was killed and sent to the hospital, where he was injured by burning gas bombs which were used to quell the outbreak.

WARRINGTON, April 29.—A "camouflaged" provision for a power station in the city of Warrington, Canadian border was disclosed Monday to have been written into the Wilcox Department.

**A QUIET SPOT IN
THE WEEK'S NEWS**

I like horses with flickery ears
And dogs I like, and the not-prod kind.
I like horses, and they like me,
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COURTING TUNES OF TIBET

There are any tune in the world more famous than "Tupperary"?

It has actually, through the successive stages of racial and primitive growth, made its way to the fastnesses of the Himalayas.

The villagers there have put their own words to the tune, and the result is a song which is a little different from the original, but the tune is the same.

In Tibet musical courtesies are the order of the day. The relationship between Tibetan men and women is a very pleasant one. Both husband and wife work for their living, and all, though both may subscribe towards the house expenses, the fact that both are bread-winners establishes a great independence among the parties.

Indeed, so can an unmarried woman, by working for herself, be quite independent of her parents and she can claim the liberty of proposing marriage to any man of her choice.

It is all done by song, and the tune of "Tupperary" is a first favorite. A young Tibetan in some far-off village below the heights of the Thelapa Pass, in Tibet, with a butter-daubed, wood-paneled face of a somnolent belle, shows his devotion by singing:

"Tending, yet brilliant is the color of the blooming Rhodod on the mountain crest, and in the moonlight, dyed, yet unchanging, is the color of the triply spun-silk of Tibet."

If the parents object to the union, singing is the only way to win them.

"Though high the peaks of the eastern hill, it cannot obstruct the course of the sun and moon; Great though the worth of one's parents be, it cannot stop the work of cosmic law."

The Tibetans are Buddhists, therefore the doctrine of Karma is prevalent among them, so all unions in this world are the result of conditions that prevailed in a previous existence.

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